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Applicant: *Merck & Co., Inc.*

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For: 8-HYDROXY-1-OXO-TETRAHYDROPYRROLOPYRAZINE COMPOUNDS USEFUL AS HIV INTEGRASE INHIBITORS

Art Unit: 1624

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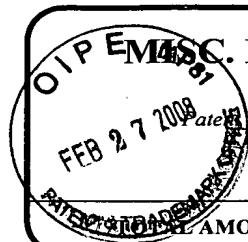
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